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HAVING A WIPING MOTION

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find six (6) sheet(s) of formal drawings in response to the Notice of Allowability dated May 21, 2002. Should the enclosed drawings require changes, it is respectfully requested that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office notify the undersigned attorney.

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0285 (Order No. P71-US).

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